THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH-NEWS AND ADVERTISEMENTS.

NEWS RELATED IN A PARAGRAPH.

The Latest Happenings of a Personal and General Nature.

IN AND AROUND PORTSMOUTH

Brown's Bazuar offers special induce-nents for this week. For particulars

See ad.

The Portsmouth Coal and Ice Company tell you that to enjoy Labor Day you should have plenty of their ice.

Mrs. D. W. Ballentine, accompanied by her two children, Ruth and James, returned home yesterday from a visit to Mathews county.

The Rev. R. T. Waterfield, pastor of Owens Memorial M. E. Church, has returned from a two weeks' visit to Eastern Shore, and will fill his pulpit to-morrow at the morning and evening service.

Pen-Mar. The home of Stephen Lashly, cole home of Stephen Lashly, col-Columbia street, near Court, was led Friday night by a burglar. ly discovered yesterday morning a quantity of flour and a ham missing from the larder and his e containing \$1.15 was gone. Il Engineer Frederick Thompson, ward and docks department of navy-yard, accompanied by Mrs. apson, returned yesterday from Springs, Va. mad dog created considerable ex-

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A mad dog created considerable excitement in the market yesterday, People scattered in every direction. It was killed by some of the butchers. Rev. R. B. Eggleston will to-day complete the fourth year of his pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church. During the four years there has been a large number of additions to the church.

The United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America will hold its eleventh bi-ennial convention at Scranton, Pa., beginning Monday, September 17. Portsmouth Local Union No. 447 will be represented.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Bowers to the marriage of their daughter, Eva McAlpine, to Edward Wadsworth Dashiell, the ceremony to take place at the residence, No. 315 Washington street, at 5 o'clock Tuesday, September 11.

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A negro man was arrested on Crawday afternoon by Officers Schroeder day afternoon by Officers Schroeder de Hoofnagle for being drunk and aling a coat. In the pocket of the at was a Chinese laundry ticket, is ticket may be a means by which we owner could identify the stolen icle.

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Emmett Deans will have a sample sale of applique table covers, bureau and washstand scarfs. All new and perfect goods and at a price less than cost. Also one hour sale of androscoggin cottons. Read his ad, in another column.

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Mr. Geo. A. Tabb, treasurer of the Portsmouth and Norfolk County Building and Loan Association, gives notice that all dues of the association will be received on Tuesday instead of Monday, that being a legal holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dunbar have returned from North Carolina, where they have been for several months. Mr. Dunbar will sing at the Presbyterian Church this morning.

Mrs. B. F. Howell and daughters will return from Eastern Shore, Va., tomorrow, after spending several weeks there.

A large fishing party went down to be Western Branch bridge Friday ight and caught quite a number of sh. There were several ladies in the

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Arrangements are being made by the residents of the Fifth Ward to employ a regular officer in that ward at night.

Anderson & Thompson tell you that they have both public and private school books at lowest prices. See ad. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Churchland Manufacturing Company will be held at the company's office at Churchland on the 18th inst. Misses Ruth Proctor and Lottle Nottingham have gone to Fluvanna county, Va., to visit friends.

Rev. Dr. Tribble, of Charlottesville, Va., who is visiting in our city, will preach at the South Street Church to-day. Professor Tribble is a distinguished orator and scholar, and all who can hear him should avail themselves of the opportunity.

Miss Eva D. Wilkins has left for a week's visit to Virginia Beach.

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Miss Maggie Hunt has returned from a pleasant visit to South Mills.

The S. A. L. shops will be closed Monday, it being a legal holiday.

Mr. Marven Luke, of this city, left last night for North Carolina, where he has accepted a position as professor of mathematics.

The S. A. L. clerks and the navy yeard clerks were both paid yesterday for the last hall of August.

The ferry employees will be paid Monday.

The blocke races on Monday begin at 5:20 o'clock.

night for Richmond to be present at the tournament.

The coal dealers are delivering coal to a number of people who are taking advantage of the reduction.

Will the Lyceum Theater be opened this season? is the question that the newspaper men are asked daily.

The time for connecting with the sewers in the First Ward expired yesterday.

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The little negro Smallwood, who was arrested for breaking into I. C., Brink-ley's store, makes the third one of the brothers who is in jail for stealing, and the fourth one is wanted for shooting his wife.

The Board of Supervisors will meet September the 11th.

As this is the first Sunday in the month communion will be administered in a number of the churches.

The big parade Monday will be seen in Portsmouth as well as in Norfolk.

The public schools open on Tuesday this year.

There will be a reunion of the Confederate Veterans of Tidewater Virginia at Delaware Park, October 4th. A big time will be had.

The postoffice will keep Sunday hours to-morrow, which is Labor Day.

A party of ladies and gentlemen will enjoy a sale on Chesapeake Bay Monday.

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Over half of the Knights who went to Detroit returned home yesterday. The balance will come home this morn-

ing.

Miss Fannie L. Ober, of Washington, D. C., who has been the guest of Misses Blanche and Grace Moore, in County street, for the past three weeks, will leave for her home this afternoon. The Misses Moore entertained a few of their friends Friday evening in honor of Miss Ober.

Mr. H. B. Maxey, a well-known railroad man, who has seen service with a number of the more important Southern roads, arrived in the city yesterday for the purpose of accepting a position with the Seaboard Air Line. He will go into the passenger department.

Ironworkers, are requested to meet at their hall to-morrow (Monday) morn-ing at \$115 h. m. sharp to take part in Labor Day parade. Absentees fined. Attention is called to advertisement of lost money.

DIVINE SERVICES TO-DAY.

Where Held and by Whom it Will Be
Conducted.

Park View Baptist Church, Rev. W.
P. Hines, pastor—Bible school at 9:30
a. m. Preaching by Rev. L. R. Christle at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Lord's Supper at close of morning service.

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tion of members and the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. At 8 p. m. the subject will be, "The School," being the first of a series on some of the institutions of society. Others to follow are "The Newspaper," "The Theatre," "The Saloon" and "The Church," Central M. E. Church, Rev. R. F. Beadles, pastor—Sunday school at 9:15 f. m. m. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning subject, "God's Care for His Children;" night, "The Christianity of the Twentleth Century," Central Mission, Rev. R. F. Beadles, pastor—Sunday school at 3:20 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 4:30 p. m. Owens Memorial M. E. Church, South Clifford and Effingham streets, Rev. R. T. Waterfield, pastor—Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; preaching at 11 p. a. m. and at 8 p. m. by the pastor. A cordial welcome to all.

First Memorial Presbyterian Church, Port Norfolk, Rev. I. W. Laey, pastor—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Prentis Place Mission—Sunday school at 3:30 p. m.; preaching, 4:30 p. m.

VITAL STATISTICS FOR AUGUST.

births in Portsmouth during the month of August, 20 of those reported being white children. The burcau has found it impossible to get the complete returns of births of colored children, and this fact accounts of colored children, and this fact accounts of the street trans in the gutters and let it stay there.

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PLEASANT ENGREPHAANAGEM.

PLEASANT ENTERTAINMENT, Miss Eva D. Wilkins entertained a number of her friends at her residence, 1214 Washington street, last Wednesday evening in a charming manner, day evening in a charming manner, annong the invited guests were Misses in Edna Palmer, of Baltimore: Ella Gleason, Evelyn Robertson, Susie Pechles, Bessie Richardson, Marie Morrissett, Lee Jarvis, Inez Robertson, Lillie Wallace, Edna Outten, Lizzie White, Blanche Fleming and Messus, Branch, Robert White, Julian Nottingham, Harvey Ball, Paul Peebles, Alien Ferebee, Wm. Sedberry, Wm. Robertson, Chester Martin, Walter Codd, Frank King, Meade Stone and Wilson Sturtevant.

DEATH OF A CHILD.

Louise, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson, of Riverview averue, Park View, died at 11:45 o'clock yesterday morning. The body will be sent to Weldon this morning by way of the Seaboard Air Line for interment. The funeral services will be held in Weldon.

STATION HOUSE.

John Curtis, Colored, Arrested as a Suspicious Character.

CUTS HIS WAY TO FREEDOM.

John Curtis, a negro, was placed in a cell in the station house at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Between 5:39 and 6 o'clock he escaped by sawing through the wooden bars of his cell. No one happened to be in the police office at the time, and the prisoner passed out through the office to freedom. Curtis had been gone for some minutes when his escape was discovered.

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Curtis was arrested by Officer Schroeder, in Crawford street, about 2:30 o'clock, and committed as a suspicious character. He was trying to sell a cont which it is believed was stolen. He was searched before being locked up, but the man must have had a saw concealed about him which the police did not find.

Officer Schroeder visited Curtis' cell two or three times during the afternoon for the purpose of talking with him. The man seemed somewhat under the influence of liquor when arrested, and each time Schroeder found him seemingly sleeping off the effects of his drink. Subsequent events proved that Curtis was shamming.

Lieutenant Onley saw Curtis in his cell at 5:30 o'clock. Within the next half hour the lieutenant was called into the telephone room a number of

to the telephone room a humber of times, and upon one of these occasions thought he heard some one pass through the passage leading from the station house corridors to the police office. He thought nothing of this, supposing that one of the policemen was passing through. At 6 o'clock Lieutenant Onley went to Curtis' cell, but the prisoner was gone.

A saw had been used in cutting out a piece of the 2x4 timber which forms the top of the cells and which do not reach to the celling of the room by a space of about three feet. The hole was large enough for a man's body to pass through, and once outside his cell limits Curtis had found the rest easy.

Nothing is known among the police as to the negro's antecedents, but it is thought that he is an old-time and experienced crook.

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This afternoon in the Court Street Baptist Church lecture room will be held the first of the four union meetings to be held in that piace, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association. These meetings will be conducted by the Epworth League, Baptist Young People's Union, St. Andrew's Brotherhood and other young people's societies. All members of these societies and the general public are invited, ladles as well as men. The Epworth League, of Monumental M. E. Church will conduct the meeting this afternoon. Mr. H. T. Law will make the address, and Mrs. Pullen will be the soloist. The preliminary song service will begin at 4 o'clock.

FINED FOR CARRYING CONCEAL-ED WEAPONS.

ED WEAPONS.

In Police Court yesterday morning the warrants sworn out by Mr. E. G. Irving on Wednesday last, charging Contractor C. C. Johnson with assault, carrying concealed weapons and using abusive language, were tried before Justice Chas, R. Nash and resulted in a fine of \$10 for assault and \$20 for carrying concealed weapons being imposed upon the accused. The charge of using abusive language was dismissed, Mr. Johnson, through his attorney, K. A. Bain, appealed from Justice Nash's decision.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN.

The renowned pugilist, who at one time was the greatest fighter in this country, will umpire the game at League Park to-morrow (Monday) morning at 10:30 o'clock, as this will be the last game of the season in this city, and it will no doubt be attended by a large crowd, as it should be

Assistant Surgeon F. L. Benton is detached from the Cavite Hospital and ordered to report to the Yokohamu Hospital.

TORPEDO EXPLODES IN BOYS

MISSIONARY ANNIVERSARY AT PORT NORFOLK.

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The Annual Convention of the National Eaptist Association (colored), Richmond, Va., September 12th-20th, will be a memorable occasion. All good Eaptists will take the SEAmouth Gun Citb will leave to-

COUNTY TRANSFERS.

Anna Maupin to John Caffy, lot and appurtenances northwest intersection Jefferson and Seventh streets; \$1,000.

Willoughby Beach Company to C. E. Pettis, lot 8, block 9, Willoughby Beach; \$350.

W. H. T. Loyall, trustee, to W. H. Taylor and H. C. Hoggard, Jr., lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 19, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, plat of Anna M. Brown's property; \$2,075.

W. B. Baldwin, trustee, to Joseph M. Clark, lots 14, 15, 16, 17, block 229, and lot 31, block 189; \$330.

Charles F, McIntosh to B, F. Shumadine, lots 45 and 46, block 4, Lambert's Point; \$400.

ENJOY THE HOLIDAY, LABOR Day, September 3d, 1990, by using plenty of pure ice from PORTSMOUTH COAL AND ICE CO. Both telephones, it Point; \$400.
Lella A. Whitehurst et vir. to Amanda L. Nicholas, lot 365, Frost's plan South North; \$353.
W. C. Gray to J. J. Bourke, lot 23, block 1, Willoughby Beach; \$200.

SPECIAL GRAND JURY.

A special grand jury has been summened for the Hustings Court, the term beginning next Thursday, September 6. The following are the jurors: F. P. Nash, William Easby, C. B. Lash, T. J. Morecock, James N. Peed, Lloyd N. Partin, Claude Markham, W. B. Thomas, S. T. Barclay, A. H. Lindsay, Jr.

B. Y. P. U.

The regular meeting of the District
Baptist Young People's Union will be
held this afternoon at 4 o'clock with
the First Baptist Church. A special
program has been prepared for this
occasion.

TO THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS of LODGE NO. 447, CARPENTERS AND JOINERS.—You are requested to assemble at your hall THIS (Sunday) MORNING at 9:30 o'clock. Business of importance will be transacted.

11 W. W. WILKINS, Treasurer.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the CHURCHLAND MANUFACTURING COMPANY will be held at the Company's office. Churchland, Norfolk county, Va., on WEDNES-DAY, the 19th day of September, 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M. W. B. CARNEY, President.

M. W. ARMISTEAD,

Secretary and Treasurer. se2-td

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A TTENTION PAINTERS AND DECORATORS OF AMERICA.—UNION
63-You are requested to assemble at
Rosenbaum Hall TO-MORROW (Monday) MORNING at 8 o'clock, for the
purpose of taking part in Labor Day
parade. Appear in full dress uniform.

By order of the Union
JOHN E. JAMES, Secretary,

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N. MEMBERS

TO THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS of LOCAL UNION NO. 57, BOILER-MAKERS AND IRON SHIPBUILDERS.—You are requested to assemble at
your hall MONDAY, September 3d, at
8:15 A. M. sharp, to participate in the
Labor Day celebration. Absentees fined.
C. L. TYLER, President.
EDWARD M'DONALD,
Recording Secretary. 1t

Monday being LABOR DAY and a Na-lional holiday, dues in the Portsmouth and Norfolk County Building and Loan Association will be received on TUES-

SOMETHING NEW EUREKA Suit Hanger, 15c.

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MONDAY, SEPT. 3D.

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AT LEAGUE PARK,

Norfolk and Portsmouth Teams. GAME CALLED AT 10.30.

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HIGH ST., Cor. Middle.

SPECIAL BARGAIN OFFERINGS \$5.50 per ton of 2240 lbs., cash. Best Dry Railroad Slab Wood, as good or better than common sap pinc. For This Week.

41/2 C Heavy Canton Flannel, worth 6c. 71/2 C Extra heavy Canton Flannel,

8c Heavy Columbia Shirting, best material for working shirts, worth

10c Barnsley Linen Towels, worth 19c Turkey Red Table Damask,

India Linen, worth 10c. 8c 71/2 C Men's largest size Turkey Red Handkerchiefs, worth 10c. 10C Men's Polka Dot Sox, worth

121/2 C Ladles' Drop Stitch Hose,

For 5 pieces Castile Soap, Bottle of Vaseline.

Bottle Pomade Vaseline. Double bar of Transparent Gly-cerine Soap, worth 20c.

WM. G. MAUPIN,

FOR SALE OR RENT.—DWELLING and store in front. Groceries, Li-cense also. All conveniences necessary for family use. Apply on premiess, 585 PAYETTE ST., Portsmouth. se2-lw TORE AND DWELLING FOR rent; house has five rooms and kitches; all conveniences. Corner London and First avenue. Good place for greecry and liquor store. Apply A. MEWES, corner First avenue and High St. sel-3t SHARES BANK OF PORTS-mouth stock for sale. B., care Virginian-Pilot, Portsmouth, Va. au31-31

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per month. Apply 913 COURT ST. 31-3t FOR RENT-HOUSE ON COUNTY street; five rooms, city water; \$8.00 per month. Apply to E. W. OWENS, Chestnut street. au30-tf

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been dissolved. The undersigned has purchased his interest in the business street, corner King, Portsmouth, Va. Thanking my friends and customers for their liberal patronage, I hope for a con-

HENRY A. LONG.

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TO MAKE ROOM. W. & J. PARKER,

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A MODERN BRICK DWELLING, 403 Dinwiddle street, 7, rooms and bath, modern improvements. Apply to JOHN L. WATSON, 309 High Street.

A Drop in Coal.

H. B. WILKINS.

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Sale of Men's Fine Summer Suits! "Orphans," you might call them, being one or two of a lot-light weight All-wool Suits. Marked to sell at \$9 to \$12.50, bunched together on front counters.

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NECKWEAR

EVERYTHING FOR MEN-TOP TO TOE. regularly 50c. 213 AND 215 HIGH STREET. Stiff bosom. New and nebby patterns, **59c.** worth 89c.

GRAND SAMPLE SALE!

Monday, September 3d.

A big lot of Samples of Applique Table Covers, Bureau and Washstand Scarfs, to be sold at less than cost. Three pieces to match or separate. All fresh and perfect goods,

For One Hour Only---10 to 11 A. M.

Ten yards of Androscoggin Cottons (to a customer) for 60c.

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